

Health Sciences Library

Herrick Archives Number 302

A. IDENTIFICATION & LOCATION

1. Name

1.1 Never officially named by Board of Trustees action.

1.2 Alternate names noted:

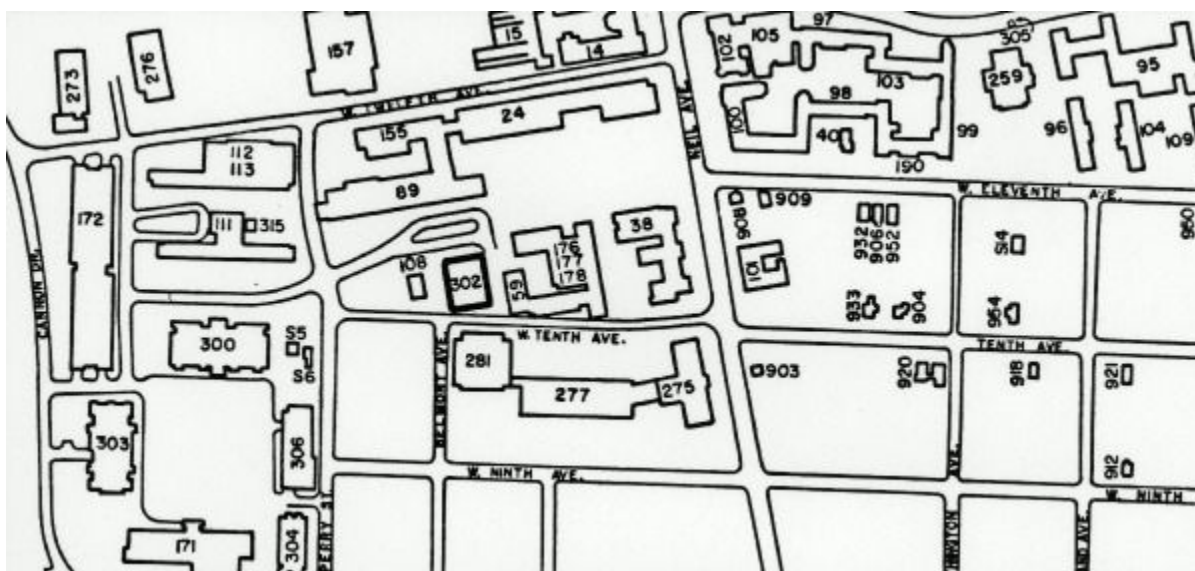
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2. Location

2.1 Located at 376 West 10th Avenue. See map below.

2.2 For greater detail, see Sheet 116 in the book of campus maps in the University Archives.



For identification of other buildings shown. see Appendix K.

3. General Description

3.1 Type of construction:

Reinforced concrete frame with brick exterior.

3.2 No. of stories:

Basement and five stories.

3.3 Increments of construction:

No additions.

3.4 Present area of building as shown in Inventory records of Division of Campus Planning:

99,449 square feet gross

73,687 square feet net assignable

See Addendum No. 2

B. PLANNING & CONSTRUCTION

1. On September 11, 1969 the Board of Trustees approved the plans and related documents prepared by C. Curtis Inscho & Associates and authorized the solicitation of bids by contractors.

2. Bids were received on November 19, 1969 (T)

3. On December 11, 1969 the Board of Trustees awarded contracts to the following contractors:

General: Robert W Setterlin & Sons Co.

Electrical: McCarthy Bros. Electrical Co.

Heating, ventilating, & air conditioning: Limbach Co.

Plumbing: O'Brien Co.

Book storage & retrieval system: Sperry Rand Corp.

4 Completion and occupancy:

4.1 Building released for beneficial occupancy March 9, 1972 (P). The carpeting book handling equipment, and other items were not yet installed.

4.2 Building opened for student use on May 14, 1973, according to Miss Johnson, the librarian.

C. COST

No final figure yet available. The contracts let on December 11, 1969 totalled \$4,103,049.

D. PHOTOGRAPHS

1. In Photoarchives;

X 7981

X 7485

2. Other:

Citizen Journal: May 21, 1973

John H. Herrick

May 23, 1973

ADDENDUM NO. 1

A reference to this building as the "Medical Library" has been found.

John H. Herrick

February 4, 1976

ADDENDUM NO. 2

Campus Planning records now show the net assignable area of this building as 63,803 square feet.

John H. Herrick
November 9, 1984

ADDENDUM NO. 3

On September 1, 1988, The Board of Trustees resolved that the Health Sciences Library should be name "John A. Prior Health Sciences Library". Dr. Prior served as Faculty, Dean, and Professor Emeritus until he retired in 1981. He helped make the Health Sciences Library possible.